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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

## Henderson County Invites the Public to Observe VE Day 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

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The public is invited to stop by the courtyard of the Historic Courthouse on Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9:00 a.m. to spend some time in reflection and remembrance the sacrifices of the greatest generation on the 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of VE Day.

Beginning at 9:00 a.m., President Harry S. Truman's speech, to the nation, originally broadcast at 9:00 a.m., May 8, 1945, will play from speakers on the courthouse's balcony. Following the speech throughout the day a mixture of iconic music from the '40's will be interspersed with clips of speeches from Truman, Eisenhower and Churchill.

Please take some time from your day and come by the Historic Courthouse to commemorate this important day in not just American history, but the history of the world.

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